PROCUREMENT MANAGEMENT STAFF ACCOMPLISHMENTS 1979

- 1. CONTRACT ACTIVITY
- 2. AGENCY CONTRACT REVIEW BOARD
- 3. PERSONNEL
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OFFICE EVALUATION CONFERENCE

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| 3. | Personnel Personnel |
| | a. 23 rotations of procurement officers |
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| | c. 2 new hires - |
| | d. 3 transfers to procurement - |
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| | e. 5 Procurement officers in process: |
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| 4. | Training |

Four members of the Agency Contract Review Board participated in an executive level 1 week seminar on pro-

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4. Training (Continued)

Procurement officers participated in various outside courses to meet specific needs, such as Contracting With Small and Minority Business, Federal Contract Funding, and Fraud in Government.

A Graduate Fellow worked in the procurement system for 4 months.

5. CONIF

CONIF III went on line with the Agency's General Accounting System in FY 1978. In FY 1979 data discrepancies were reduced to the barest minimum and bugs were eliminated to result in an operating production system.

6. External Liaison

Liaison was maintained with the Office of Federal Procurement Policy in OMB, the General Services Administration through the Inter Agency Procurement Policy Committee, and with Department of Labor for EEO matters.

7. Black College Initiatives

In February of 1979 President Carter issued a statement in support of historically black colleges. The OL/PMS has been interfacing with White House personnel as the Agency focal point on this matter.

8. <u>Inspector General</u>

Considerable time was spent by all procurement personnel in responding to an inspection by a special Inspection Team established to review Industrial Contracting and Industrial Security. This was the seventh review in 3 years of some part of the acquisition process. While areas were noted for improvement, the comments were generally favorable.

9. ICIS

PMS considered as Agency coordinator for compiling 51 recommendations by the task force on Industrial Security and Industrial Contracting. All approved recommendations are complete except for 6 which have simply required a lot of time.

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10. Procurement Law and Regulations

13 Procurement Notes have been issued on a wide range of subjects, such as Wage and Price Standards for Federal Contractor, Implementation of the Contract Disputes Act of 1978, and Evaluation of Compensation for Professional Employees.

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| Procurement Note No. | Subject |
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| 122 | Documentation Supporting Noncompetitive Acquisitions - Plus Amendment #1 |
| 123 | Requirement for Procurement Statistics Plus Amendment #1 |
| 124 | Wage and Price Standards for Federal Contractors |
| 125 | Storage and Retrieval of Contract Information |
| 126 | Solicitation Documents and Procedures Plus Revision #1 and #2 |
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| 128 | Implementation of the Contract Disputes Act of 1978 (PL 95-563, 41 U.S.C. 601-613) |
| 129 | Evaluation of Compensation for Professional Employees |
| 130 | Policies and Procedures to Improve the CONIF III System and Processing of Contractor Invoices |
| 131 | Memorandum of Understanding between Office of Finance (OF) and Office of Logistics (OL) |
| 132 | Closeout of Agency Contracts |
| 133 | Price Negotiation Policies and Techniques |
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Predetermined Indirect Rates

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